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1. The foreign news staff of the ADN is divided into two sections: A (capitalist countries) and B (Soviet Union and People's Democracies). Directives and guidance are imparted at staff meetings by the chief editor's office. Section A has access to material from TASS, [redacted] NCNA (New China), [redacted] as well as west European newspapers. Furthermore, reports are frequently translated and passed on as ADN reports.

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2. Political developments of major importance are not reported on until TASS has issued its report and indicated the approved political line.
3. The ADN has correspondents in Moscow (Otto Schreiber and Erika Nietschke), Peking (Döring, [redacted]), and Prague (Liebsch and Eduard Tautz). It is intended to send correspondents to the capitals of other states of the Eastern bloc. Reports are also obtained from Communist papers

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4. [REDACTED] Many reports from Western sources are withheld from publication, and are passed only to high government and SED officials.

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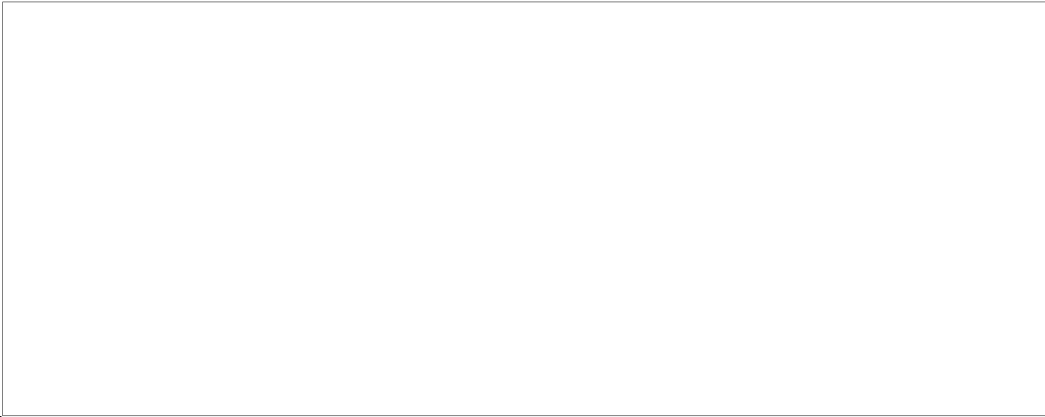
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6. All staff members are forbidden to visit West Berlin.



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